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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 21, 1998

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated December 21, 1998 for which the three-month date for response is March 21, 1999.

It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Arnold White & Durkee Deposit Account No. 01-2508/INNU004/KAM.

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